



Lesson # 4

YOU AND YOUR CHANGING LIFE

How to Know How You Should Act as a Christian

Think

When you accepted Christ as your Savior, you became what the Bible calls “a new creature in Christ” (2 Corinthians 5:17). You are now in the process of becoming more like Christ. This is a process that will continue for the rest for your life. Becoming more Christ-like involves something that is not always easy—CHANGE! There are three things that will constantly try to hinder you from changing: (1) The world (lifestyle and values of the unsaved), (2) The flesh (your sinful nature), and (3) The devil (Satanic opposition).

Remember, God wants you to change and be different than you were before you were saved, and He will help you to change if you will yield to Him and obey Him.

Answer

1. To whom do you belong now that you are saved? (1 Corinthians 6:19) _____
2. Since you no longer belong to yourself, what should be your main purpose in life? (1 Corinthians 6:20; 10:31) _____
3. Can harmful habits like gambling, smoking, drinking, using drugs or cursing help you to bring glory to God? (Proverbs 23:29-35; Ephesians 4:29; 5:4) _____
4. What does God expect you to do with the body He has given you? (Romans 12:1) _____

5. What does God say about being conformed to this world? (Romans 12:2) _____

6. What should be your attitude toward the world? (1 John 2:15-16) _____
7. How does the Bible describe those who are the friend of the world’s system? (James 4:4)

8. What tempts you to sin? (James 1:14) _____

9. How can you avoid many temptations? (Romans 13:14) _____

10. What does God promise to those who are tempted? (1 Corinthians 10:13) _____

11. How is Satan described? (2 Corinthians 11:14; 1 Peter 5:8) _____

12. When Satan tempted Jesus, what did Jesus use to defeat him? (Matthew 4:4, 7, 10) _____

13. What is your spiritual weapon against Satan? (Ephesians 6:17) _____

14. How can you cause Satan to flee from you? (James 4:7) _____

15. Has there been a noticeable difference in your life since you accepted Christ? _____

Explain _____

16. Check any areas in which you are presently failing to bring glory to God because you are being pressured by the world, drawn away of your own desires, or tempted by Satan:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Attitudes | <input type="checkbox"/> Drugs |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Entertainment | <input type="checkbox"/> Sexual Conduct |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Music | <input type="checkbox"/> Language |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Appearance | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |

17. Should you wait for some special conviction by God before you obey what His Word says to you about your actions, attitudes, and appearance? (James 1:22) _____

Memorize

1 Corinthians 6:19-20

“Or do you not know that your body is the temple of the Holy Spirit who is in you, whom you have from God, and you are not your own? For you were bought at a price; therefore glorify God in your body and in your spirit, which are God's.”